GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Departmental Enquiry – Allegation of non-submission of property returns by Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Public Health) (Retired) – Enquiry conducted – Penalty of 2% cut in his monthly pension for a period of one year in term of Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 - Awarded – Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1728

Dated:27-12-2012; Read the following:

- 1. From the DG, ACB, Hyderabad letter C.No.24/RE-CIU/2005, Dated: 21.11.2006.'
- 2. G.O.Rt.No. 450, MA & UD (Vig.I) Dept., Dt. 15.3.2008.
- 3. Representation of Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Dated: nil.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No. 1173, MA & UD (Vig.I(2)Dept., Dated:14-8-2008.
- 5. From Sri B. Anand Mohan, Inquiry Authority-cum-General Manager (T)-II, HGCL, HMDA, Hyderabad letter No. 1/GM(T)-IIHGCL/HMDA/2010, Dated: 5.1.2011.
- 6. Govt. Memo. NO.10909/Vig.I(2)/2005-12, Dt.26.4.2011.
- 7. From the ENC (PH), Hyderabad letter No.34C/CS7/2005, Dated: 30.1.2012 together with its enclosures of representation of Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, dt. 12.1.12.
- 8. Govt. Lr.NO. 10909/Vig.I(2)/05-14, Dt. 29.2.2012.
- 9. From the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad Letter No. 609/RT/2/12, Dated: 12.4.2012.

ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the Director General, ACB, Hyderabad has forwarded the final report of the Accused Officer, Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Public Health) (Retired) and informed that the Accused Officer violated the A.P. Civil Services(Conduct) Rules, 1964 and recommended for Departmental Action under A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

- 2. Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, orders were issued for Departmental proceedings against Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Retd.) Public Health under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CCA) Rules, 1991.
- 3. Whereas, in the reference 4^{th} read above, Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Retd.) Public Health, Hyderabad has submitted his written statement of defence.
- 4. Whereas, the Government having not satisfied with the written statement of defence submitted by the Charged Officer, appointed Sri B. Chandrasekhar, Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health), Hyderabad as Inquiry Authority to conduct the against the Charged Officer in the reference 4th read above.
- 5. Whereas, in the reference 5th read above, the Enquiry Officer has furnished the enquiry report to Government. Government after examination of the Enquiry report, a report was called for from the Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health) in the letter dated: 28.1.2011, the Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health) has stated that the Charged Officer Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Retd.) (Public Health) has not intimated about any business being managed by his elder son, Sri C. Sundeep Reddy.
- 6. Whereas, Government after careful examination of the Enquiry report have decided to disagree with the findings of Inquiry Authority in respect of Charge.III and accordingly a copy of the enquiry report has been communicated along with disagreement factors to the Charged Officer for submission of his explanation.

- 7. Whereas in his explanation the Charged Officer Sri C.Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Retd.) has stated among others that he retired from the Govt. Service on attaining the age of superannuation on 31.7.2005. The articles of charges issued against him were received through Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health) much after 4 years of limitation prescribed in Rule 9 (2) (b) (ii) of A.P. Pension Rules 1980. Therefore, all the charges have become infructuous. He has stated that being a disciplined retired Government Employee he responded to the charges and requested that all the 3 charges are to be dropped. It is observed that he retired from service on 31.7.2005 & whereas charges are issued within (4) years there from vide G.O. 2nd cited. Hence, the contention of the Charged Officer (Retd.) is not correct and rejected.
- 8. Whereas in the reference 7th read above, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the Retired Charged Officer to indicating a provisional decision to impose a penalty of two per cent cut in his pension for a period of one year against him and directed to submit his written statement of defence within 15 days from the date of receipt of the Memo.
- 9 Whereas in his representation the Retired Charged Officer has requested the Government to re-examine the case with reference to the factual position and with reference to rules and consider to drop all further action in this behalf.
- 10. In the reference 8th read above, Government have addressed the A.P. Public Service Commission for concurrence to the proposed penalty against the Charged Officer (Retired). In the reference 9th read above, the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission has conveyed their concurrence to the Government proposal to impose a penalty of 2% cut in pension for one year against Retired Charged Officer.
- 11. Government, after careful examination of the matter in consultation with the Advisory Board have decided to impose a penalty of 2% cut in his monthly pension for a period of 1 (one) year against Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer(Retd.) Public Health, Hyderabad. Accordingly, Government hereby impose a punishment of 2% (two per cent) cut in his monthly pension for a period of 1 (one) year against Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy, Chief Engineer (Retd.) Public Health, Hyderabad in terms of Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.
- 12. The Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health), Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. SAM BOB PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

Sri C. Satyanarayana Reddy,

Chief Engineer (Retired) Public Health, Hyderabad through the Engineer-in-Chief (PH), Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health) Hyderabad

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P.V.C., Hyderabad.

The Principal Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Hyderabad.

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad.

The P.S. to Minister (MA)

SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER.